

## **Discussion Questions Course 204–1**

### **Large Group**

1. What was Joy struggling with in today's adventure?
2. Have you ever met someone who seemed unfriendly?

### **Small Group**

#### **Teaching**

1. Pharaoh was stubborn, but God sent ten plagues on Egypt until Pharaoh finally let the people go! Why?
2. The Egyptian chariots with soldiers were coming up fast behind them. It seemed as if they were trapped, but they weren't! Why?
3. The Amorites were a mighty nation of giant warriors. But the warriors could not defeat God; why?
4. The river was so high it was overflowing its banks. There was no way to cross, but the Israelites should have faith. Why?
5. There was no way to get into the city, but Joshua was confident they had the victory, why?
6. The walls began to shake and crumble, then the walls fell to the ground! Why?

#### **Discipleship Challenge**

1. What did Joy think about Becky at the beginning of our video today?
2. Why did she not want to work with Becky on the project?
3. Why did Joy change her mind at the end of the video?
4. Some people build "walls" around their hearts to protect themselves. Can you think of some reasons?
5. Have you ever judged or formed an opinion about someone and later found out that it was not true?

### **SuperVerse**

1. Can you remember who said these words?

### **Additional Activities**

#### **I Spy Game**

1. Do you remember what the spies told Joshua when they returned?
2. How do you think Joshua felt when he heard the spies' reports?
3. How did it feel to be a spy on an important mission for Joshua?
4. Would you have liked to be one of the actual spies that Joshua sent; why or why not?

#### **Marching Game**

1. The army marched around the walls of Jericho one time a day for how many days?
2. What were the instructions for the seventh day?
3. What do you think it felt like to march around the walls silently for 6 days? Would it be easy or difficult?
4. Would you think that the people of Jericho might be laughing at you?
5. What do you think it felt like on the seventh day when Joshua gave the command to shout?

**Interview Activity**

1. Do you remember in our video when Joy and Becky were doing a project at school? What didn't the girls want to do?
2. Why didn't they get along; had one offended the other or done something mean?
3. Even though Joy was not from Jericho, Rahab and Joy became friends. Do you remember how that happened?